



# **EHS 0611 Universal Waste Guide**

### **Instructions:**

Download this guide and refer to it when needing to dispose of batteries, fluorescent lamps, aerosol cans, electronic waste, mercury-containing items

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## How to Dispose of Universal Waste

**Batteries** 



**Examples:** Nickelcadmium; non-spillable, **nonleaking** lead acid; and alkaline batteries.

**Put in green** battery buckets



If leaking, requisition as Hazardous Waste



Fluorescent



**Examples:** compact fluorescent, neon, mercury vapor, high-pressure sodium, metal halide, and high-intensity discharge (HID)

If main site location:

- Submit a General Facilities \*Work Request.

If offsite locations:

- Contact your Generator Assistant

**Aerosol Cans** 



**Examples:** spray paints, degreasers, lubricants, penetrants, glass cleaners

**Contact** your Generator Assistant

Mercury



**Examples:** Thermometer, thermostat, mercury-containing switches

**Put in a container** with packaging material to prevent breakage and label with a universal-waste label. Then contact your Generator Assistant

**Electronics** 

**Resources and Support** 

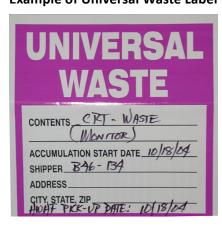


**Examples:** cables, computers, peripherals, disks, CDs, monitors calculators, microwaves, anything with circuit board.

\*Apply Universal Waste label

If item has a DOE Property tag, dispose through your property coordinator. If not, submit a \* Work Request

### **Example of Universal Waste Label**



#### **Support Contacts**



Waste Generator Assistant Contact list https://grgo.page.link/LSXRY



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